

Course Announcement



Hazardous Materials Specialist Series

| <u>Course Dates</u> | Course Location | <u>Class Code</u> |
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| July 14-18, 2014 | San Diego, CA | HSF1-14 |
| July 28 – August 1, 2014 | San Diego, CA | HSG1-14 |

The Specialist courses are the highest level of training competency available for a Hazardous Materials Team member. By taking advantage of all the Technician/Specialist courses, participants will have the opportunity to work with CalEMA/CSTI's state-of-the-art Hazardous Materials Field Exercise Facility, or the off-site mobile training trailer. CSTI provides hands- on training for all Hazardous Materials courses. This course simulates leaks at realistic pressures and flows. Certificates are issued upon completion of each module. Participants successfully completing the two modules of the Specialist series F-G will be certified by CalOES/CSTI at the Specialist level.

The off-site training aids include:

- Railroad tank car props capable of generating typical leaks
- 1-Ton and 150 lb. Chlorine container props
- · Various types of cargo tank truck fittings
- Industrial piping systems generating typical leaks
- Mock illegal drug laboratories
- WMD Scenarios
- Wide array of air monitoring/radiation meters
- · Decontamination equipment

The Specialist series meets OSHA requirements under Title 29 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) 1910.120(q) and the California Code of Regulations Title 8, Section 5192(q).

Tuition Grants: Available for **Region VI only**. Please submit all course applications for grant consideration to Annabelle Dixon at Annabelle.Dixon@caloes.ca.gov.

Tuition: \$900

Tuition payment must be mailed to CSTI, or credit card information called in, four weeks prior to the start of the course or upon registration and acceptance into the course. We are unable to accept tuition payments on the day of registration. Late registration will be considered on a case-by-case basis, depending on availability. CSTI accepts checks, money orders, and credit cards (VISA, MasterCard, and American Express). Purchase orders are not accepted. Checks should be made payable to: *California Governor's Office of Emergency Services*. For credit card payments or questions about tuition, contact Beverly Battaglia, at (805) 549-3599 or email CSTIpmt@caloes.ca.gov. Our Federal Tax ID# is 68-0278801.

Apply immediately online at **www.caloes.ca.gov/CSTI.** If you need a hardcopy application, please contact the registrar at (805) 549-3344 and one will be faxed or emailed to you. An information packet and map will be sent prior to the course.

For registration questions contact Annabelle Dixon at (805) 549-3344 or Annabelle.Dixon@caloes.ca.gov